

TUBERCULOSIS SUSPECT CASE REPORT

Nsg Station/Ph# _____
Pt. Room# _____
C.M. Name _____
Ph# _____

PATIENT: _____
Last First MI

ADDRESS: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Cell:(____) _____

BIRTH DATE: ____/____/____ SEX ☐ M ☐ F

SSN# ____/____/____

EMPLOYER/SCHOOL: _____

Phone: (____) _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

<18 y/o, parent's name/DOB _____

INSURANCE/FUNDING: _____

☐ White, non-Hispanic ☐ Black ☐ AM Ind/Eskimo

☐ Hispanic ☐ Asian/Pac. Is. (specify) _____

☐ Other _____

REPORTED BY: _____

PHONE: (____) _____

DIAGNOSING FACILITY: _____

MEDICAL RECORD# _____

Patient hospitalized at diagnosis? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Patient currently hospitalized: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Paramedics notified? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

☐ PHYSICIAN: _____

Phone: (____) _____

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Phone: (____) _____

☐ Pulmonary ☐ Extrapulmonary (site) _____ Date dx: ____/____/____

Skin Test _____ mm ☐ Negative Chest X-Ray Date: _____ ☐ Cavitory ☐ Non-Cav.

Date read _____ ☐ Not done Impression: _____

Quantiferon result: neg pos Date: _____

If Pulmonary, check symptoms:

☐ Cough; Start Date _____ ☐ Night sweats/Fever

☐ Sputum production ☐ Hemoptysis

☐ Weight loss (# of lbs.) _____ (# of mos.) _____ ☐ Fatigue

If asx, reason for evaluation: _____

Other medical conditions relevant to diagnosis: _____

Date/HIV: ☐ Positive ☐ Negative

☐ Recommended

Patient's current weight _____ lbs _____ kg

Psychosocial History? _____

Date/CD4 ____/____/____ Date/VL ____/____/____ Allergies _____

SPEC. #	SPEC. DATE	SPEC. TYPE	AFB SMR.	MTD/PCR	AFB CULT

MEDICATIONS	DOSE	START DATE
ISONIAZID		
RIFAMPIN/RBN		
ETHAMBUTOL		
PYRAZINAMIDE		
PYRIDOXINE (B6)		

LAB NAME: _____ HAART _____

PATH REPORT: _____ DOT ☐ Yes ☐ No If no, call TBC

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

DATE REPORTED: _____ INTAKE STAFF: _____ (____)

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TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL

Reporting of all patients with confirmed or suspect tuberculosis (TB) is mandated by state Health and Safety Codes Div. 4, Chapter 5 and Admin, Codes, Title 17, Chapter 4, Section 2500 and must be done within **one day of diagnosis**.

WHY DO YOU REPORT?

Because it is the law! The health department performs many vital functions to ensure public health and safety, including case management, contact follow-up, assessment of compliance with treatment and appointments, and directly observed therapy (DOT). The TB Control staff will also assist in facilitating timely and appropriate discharge planning. **Since January 1, 1994, state law mandates that all TB patients have a health department-approved discharge plan, *prior* to discharge.**

WHO MUST REPORT?

Anyone aware of a patient suspected to have, or confirmed with, active TB.

WHEN DO YOU REPORT?

- A) When active TB is one of the primary differential diagnoses. This often occurs when:
 - 1. signs and symptoms of TB are present, and/or
 - 2. the patient has an abnormal chest x-ray consistent with TB, and/or
 - 3. the patient is placed on multidrug therapy for active TB or
- B) When specimen smears are positive for acid fast bacilli (AFB).
- C) When the patient has a positive *M. tuberculosis* or *M. bovis* culture.

HOW DO YOU REPORT?

The form on the other side is to be completed **in its entirety** and submitted to the health department. TB Control staff will review this form and may return a call to the physician as needed.

By phone: (619) 692-8610

By pager: (877) 401-5701 (weekdays 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., weekends/holidays 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.)

By FAX: (619) 692-5516

This form, when submitted to TB Control, fulfills the legal requirement for reporting. The process for discharge or transfer approval necessitates a different form. Please call (619) 692-8610 for further information about discharge care plan submission/approval.